GOOD NEWS!

Cincinnati Appoints a Commit tee to Come to Knoxvillo

And Investigate Proposed Connections with the Southern.

Western North Carolina Road a Certainty.

To be Completed by July 1st,

1881. Cincinnati Enquirer.

On Saturday and Monday last a on Saturday and Monday last a number of southern gentlemen addressed the chamber of commerce upon the necessity of railroad connections with the Cincinnati Southern below Chattanooga; also a branch from the line of the Cincinnati Southern to

Knoxville. A committee was appointed by the chamber, consisting of Messrs, Joseph Kinsey, Florence Marmet, Seth C. Foster, J. H. Rhodes, R. G. Huston, C. W. Rowland and Solomon Levi, to investigate the subject and report for the benefit of the business interests of Cincinnati ness interests of Cincinnati.

ness interests of Cincinnati.

This committee met yesterday, and organized by electing Joseph Kinsey, Esq., chairman, and C. W. Rowland, secretary. The subject for their consideration was discussed, and it was decided that rail connections were necessary between the Southern road and Knoxville, and between Chattanooga and Rome, Georgia. A committee, consisting of Messrs, Kinsey, Huston, Rowland and Rhodes, was appointed to visit the south and thoroughly investigate the subject. There are two or three routes to be examined for a line from the Southern road to Knoxville, one by way of Carey-ville, and the other the Emery Gap route. This connection is now a very important one, as it is learned that the Atlanta and Charlotte Air-Line, which runs from Atlanta, Georgia, to Charlotte, North Carollus, is prepar-ing to construct a brauch road from some point on its line near Clayton, South Carolins, to Knoxville. This, with the short line from the Southern railroad to Knoxville, would give the Cincinnati direct connection with the entire railroad system of North and South Carolina, and access to the ports of Charleston, South Carolina, Wilmington and Newbern, North Car-olina, and Norfolk, Virginia. This is a very important railroad system, con-sisting of a dozen different lines of road. and giving to Cincinnati the trade of a section which she is now unable to reach by any direct route. The proposition of the Rome (Georgia) people for aid in construction of the road between that city and Chattanooga will also be considered.

There is no intention of this movement to call upon Cincinnati as a city to do anything, but to offer an opportunity to her business men to aid the city while they benefit themselves in assisting in the construction of these lines.

THE NORTH CAROLINA BOADS. RALEIGH, N. C., March 26—The legislature has been in extra session since March 15th, considering the proposition of W. J. Best and a syndicate of New York capitalists to buy tonal, and advocated by Senators Carpenter and Eaton as unconstitutional, and advocated by Senators Brown knocked Their down, and Steinway's seven hundred employes. the Western North Carolina railroad, from Salisbury to Paint Rock and Ducktown. Strenuous opposition has been made by ex-Senator Merrimor, State Senator W. T. Dortch, Duncan K. McRae and other democrats. After a bitter and hard fight, the bill, as

The following is an extract of the provisions of the bill: A commission, consisting of the governor, treasurer and three other persons, is empowered to enter into a contract with W. J.
Best, J. N. Tappan, W. R. Grace and
J. D. Fish for the sale at \$1,400,000.
The purchasers are to deposit \$500,000 in United States four per cent. bonds in the Raleigh national bank as collateral, and to execute and deliver their bond for \$1,400,000, payable one morigage bonds so paid off by them. ferred.
The purchasers are bound to build said The purchasers are bound to build said road from its present terminus to Paint Rock and to Ducktown, completing it to Paint Rock by July 1, 1881, and to Ducktown by January 1, 1885. And the parties of the sec and part shall at once put and keep in good repair and operate the road from Salisbury to Asheville until the whole road is completed. When the road is thus completed when the road is thus completed. When the road is thus completed when the road is thus completed. When the road is thus completed when the disposed of, he would call up and the complete when the road is thus completed w Asheville until the whole road is completed. When the road is thus completed the act is to operate as a statutory conveyance of the road and rolling stock to the purchasers. If there is no failure to pay interest on the bond of \$1,400,000, then the state is not to enforce its collection until January 1, 1885, but if a failure occurs, the state will proceed to collect the bond at once, and immediately resume possession of the property and proceed to build the road at the expense of the purchasers. The \$500,000 to be deposited by the purchasers shall not only be collateral security, but for any damages that the state may sustain by damages that the state may sustain by any breach of contract. The state is to furnish five hundred convicts as laborers, at \$125 each per year, to be paid in quarterly installments, the state to feed, clothe and guard them. The purchasers are authorized to form a company to carry on the work or to raise mouey, but the state is to have no connection with

Statesville, in Iredell county. The Baltimore and Ohio company has secured control of the charter and intends to build the road at ence to Statesville. When completed, the Baltimore and Ohio company will have a through line from Lynchburg. Va., to Charlotte, N. C., which would make a parallel line with the Penusylvania Central to that point. The will repealing the charter can not pass. The legislature will adjourn sine die on Monday next.

TELEGRAPHIC.

XLVI. CONGRESS.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, March 30. On motion of Senator Ransom (N. C.) the bill appropriating \$70,-000 for the erection of public build-

was taken up and passed. committee on military affairs, re- also decided by a vote of ported favorably on the bill direct- 7 to 5 to fix the duty at forty per ing the restoration of the official cent. on flannels, blankets, hats, letter-books of the executive depart- wool knit goods, balmorals, woolen of North Carolina.

the same committee, reported favor- wholly or in part of worsted, the ably on the bill authorizing the hair of the alpaca goat, or other secretary of war to settle the ac- like animals, except such as are count for arms between the state composed in part of wool not othof South Carolina and the United erwise provided for.
States.

The house committee on com-

from the committee on commerce, port to the house on a resolution to which it was referred, the bill introduced by him by request yesterday for opening a direct trade between the states of the Mississippi valley and Brazil, and establishing a mail service therewith. to-night and will be absent several He wished it referred to the post- days. office committee.

Senators McMillan, Hereford and Beck objected, believing the mail service merely incidental to the commercial purpose of the bill.

disguised form of the old applica- the seduction of any unmarried fetion for a subsidy to a steamship male of any good repute under 21 more to do with the bill than the tentiary. postoffice committee.

defeated.

Wallace and Kernan.

The Geneva award bill aside, and the immediate deficiency agreed to by Mr. Best, passed second reading in the senate yesterday by a vote of 36 to 11, and its floal reading in both houses to day without amendment. The vote in the house was 89 to 21, and in the senate 40 to 5.

The following is an average of the

HOUSE. WASHINGTON, March 20.

Grennel, Mintum & Co., Brown
Bros. & Co., Morris, Taylor & Co.,
Havemeyer & Elder, David, Daws
& Co., and other mercantile and
banking houses of New York In the house, Mr. Morton (New officers. day after date, with 7 per cent, interest from date. The purchasers are to pay the mortgage of \$850 000 and all other valid liens on such terms as may be agreed upon with the bondholders, and when they pay off the mortgage and the bonds secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the guality relief to the secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the quality relief to the secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the quality relief to the secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the quality relief to the secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the quality relief to the secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the quality relief to the secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the quality relief to the secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the quality relief to the secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the quality relief to the secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the quality relief to the secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the graph to the secured thereby, so as to relieve the state of all indebt-passed upon the graph that the secured thereby the secured the s

The morning hour having been and a company of Indian scouts. dispensed with, at 12:40, the house Victoria is reported to have 200 went into committee of the whole, warriors, and is now east of Gen. Mr. Converse in the chair, on the Hatch, on the Rio Grande. The consular and diplomatic approprias entire command in the field will not tion bill.

Several amendments were offered and rejected, when the bill passed exactly as reported from the committee on appropriations.

committee and referred to a com- Brunswick county Saturday night. mittee of the whole. Mr. Clymer It struck Lawrenceville about 11 (Pennsylvania) will call it up o'clock, unroofing and seriously for consideration next Thursday. damaging the court house, blowing It appropriates \$264,258,000, being down every building on James a reduction of \$1,201,675 from the Buckley's place, except his dwelldepartment estimates.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, March 30 .- The house committee on appropriations to-day unanimously agreed upon the army appropriation bill for the priates, in the aggregate, \$26,425,500, which is a reduction from the estimates submitted of \$1,202,675. was valued at \$20,000. structed to report the bill to the

house to-day.

The senate, in executive session, confirmed the nomination of Edgar M. Wheeler, as postmaster at Dan-

The house ways and means committee to day, by a vote of 8 to 3, decided to place on the free list all manufactured paper, wood pulp, jute butts, unmanufactured flax, ings at Asheville, North Carolina, straw, and all other fibre and fibrous plants fit for use in Senator Cockrell (Mo.), from the the manufacture of paper. They and worsted yarns, and all manufac-Senator Hampton (S. C.), from tures of every description composed

Senator Cockrell moved to tak merce to-day ordered a favorable res authorizing the Richmond and South Western railway company to build bridges across the Pamunkey and Mattaforie rivers.

Secretary Shermana left for Ohio

KENTUCKY.

FRANKFORT, March 30 .- The lower house of the general assem-Senator Beck (Ky.) said it was a bly yesterday passed a bill making

CINCINNATI, March 30 .- Charles Senator Cockrell's motion was Theis, Joseph Ritter and Henry Brown quarreled about a young The bill providing for an inter- lady at a ball in Rulif's hall, Newlaid a good family, but were drunk.

GEORGIA.

ATLANTA, March 30 .- The demy ocratic executive committee met here to-day and resolved to call a convention in Atlanta June 9th, to appoint delegates to the Cincin-4th to nominate candidates for state ground, during the heavy gale of

Indian appropriation bills shall have been disposed of, he would call up the "funding bill" for consideration.

Indian appropriation bills shall have scouts; and 25 men of the 6th cavalry, the "funding bill" for consideration.

The following cases were also heard before Justice Allison: Geo. Vance, carrying a pistol; bound to court and the "funding bill" for consideration. exceed 700 men.

CYCLONE.

mittee on appropriations.

The army appropriation bill was reported from the appropriations severe cyclone visited a portion of ing, which was badly injured. Two The star deficiency bill was re-ported from the appropriations com-J. R. Thomas and D. M. Bernard ported from the appropriations committee with senate amendments, and free from any of the encumbrances placed upon it by the purchasers or the company formed. If the commissioner should not be able to make such contract with W. J. Best and his associates, they are authorized to contract on the same terms with other parties who, in their judgment, will perform the contract. The state legislature retains the power to passe acts regulating the passenger and freight rates on the road. The act takes effect immediately.

Dorted from the appropriations committee of the mittee with senate amendments, and mittee with senate amendments, and referred to the committee of the whole. Mr. Blackburn (Ky.) will call it up to-morrow.

The house proceeded to consider the Bradley-Slemons contested election case, for the second Arkansas district. After arguments by Bradley, the contestant, and Weaver in his behalf, and Slemons, the sitting member, and Sawyer, in New York, March 30.—The

Immediately.

A fight has also been going on in the legislature between the Pennsylvania Central and the Baltimore and Ohlo railroads over a bill to repeal the charter for a railroad, heretofore granted, from some point on the Richmond and Danville railroad, in Rockingham or Caswell county, to

STEAMBOAT DISASTERS.

NEW ORLEANS, March 30 .- The year ending June, 1881. It appro- sacks of cotton seed, was totally fives were lost. The boat and cargo

Representative Olymer was in- The steamboat Rose City struck a snag twenty miles above Fulton, last Friday, and sunk. She was a total wreck. No lives were lost.

FOREIGN NEWS.

against unauthorized religious sos cieties were published to-day. The gations must apply to the governbodies as shall not ask or eventually obtain authorization shall be dis-

LONDON, March 30 .- The race for the park-hurdle handicap plate by Mr. James Gordon Bennett's five year-old horse, Muscadine.

MINOR DISPATCHES.

foot of east 17th street fire ard, was burned to crisp in his value, and will not be rebuilt.

NEW YORK, March 30 .- Her-NEW YORK, March 50.—Hers mystery. It was Jenkins' left foot mann, the piano manufacturer, has taken off while this is a right one! consented to advance the wages of Ritter shot Theis through the head, resumed work to-day at ten per advance to their employes.

Williamson, indicted for sending annoying letters to Rev. Morgan Dix, pleaded "not guilty," to-day. His trial was fixed for April 12th.

Peter Smith and Patrick Calds well, tinsmiths at work on the new armory of the Seventh regiment, 11.83; December, 11.78a11 89. were blown from the roof to the wind to-day, and killed.

STAUNTON, VA., March 30.-A portion of the Buffalo Gap iron and steel works was burned to-day. The fire was accidental. Loss,

edness, it is to be a payment of their instead of upon the quality re-bonds to the state to the amount of the ceived into bonded warehouses. Re-the victorious band of Indians: Allison for assault and battery on the

sent to jail. Betty Riseden, assault; bound to court and give bond. She was also bound over on a peace war-rant, but took an appeal to the crim-inal court. This is the first appeal of this kind Esq. King has ever had,

AT THE HOTELS.

List of Arrivals in the City. The following is a list of arrivals at the city hotels for March 30th:

ATKIN HOUSE.

W. L. Kline, John W. Hyden, Loudon;
S. W. Hyder, Carter county: N. W.
Quartes, Talbotts; Thos F. Ray, Al. M.
Pasco, N. Y.; A. G. Hanmer, Philadelphia; Jas. H. Fleming, Chicago; J. N.
Aikem, Charleston: R. N. Allison, Kingaton; J. J. Casey, M. & C. R. R.; J. T.
Rollernet, Petersburg, Va.; W. A. Morgan, Lynchburg, Va.; J. W. Lockhart,
Lebanon, Va.; Mack Parker, Cherokee;
C. H. Milligan, Greeneville; T. K. Brown,
N. C.; W. H. Spann, Illinois. ATKIN HOUSE. LAMAR HOUSE.

S. T. Dewees, Southern express com-pany; C. H. Palmer, Jao. B. Meek, Jos. W. Cowan, Dandridge: John D. Brien, Nashville: J. L. Pitts, Chicngo; W. T. Marsh, Home; J. M. Greer, Maryville; M. B. Ellis, Detroit.

Weather Report. KNOXVILLE, March 30, 1880. Pime.... | 7 a.m. | 10.82 | 2 p.m | 2.32 Baromt'r | 30 20 | 30 31 | 30 25 | 30 21 Therm'r | 39 | 146 | 52 | 55. Wet B'lb | 34 | 38 | 40 | 142

A Mysterious Foot!

one hundred and thirty-two bales of it has been running pretty high. cotton and three hundred and fifty About 2 o'clock Mrs. Everett discovered a bitch carrying a curi us somedestroyed by fire yesterday. No thing in her mouth, called her, and endeavored to ascertain what it was The bitch would not come to her, but started of in another direction. Mrs. Everett then called Mr. Tip. Everett, her brother in-law, and directed his attenti n to it. He called the bitch and, after some trouble, got her mouthful, which proved to be a human foot, amputated at the joint in Pasis, March 30 .- Decrees the instep of the foot. It was apparently fresh, and in a good state of preservation. The bitch had been seen cotating from the direction of Grain first concerns the Jesuits, and says Walker's mill-dam, and when the the government is considering that foot was taken from her she went back further tolerance can not be ex- in the same direction. Mr. W. W. tended to a society against which national sentiment has declared it—
se'f, and has resolved to dissolve the turned off and did not go to the water. association; and establishments occus Other parties then went to the place pied by its members must be closed just below where the water pours vacated within three months, over the dam, and found the blich's which period may be prolonged un tracks, and in front of where the RIBERAL ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS. 49_CONSIGNMENTS SOLICITED Reference: Adair & Bro., W. M. & R. J. Lowry. til August 31st in the case of edu-cational establishments attached to skin covering the human tongue. The the society. The second decree excitement was now running high. provides that unauthrized congres Alex B. McTeer took possession of the foot and took it to his brother's stable. gations must apply to the govern- and was there detained all the after-ment for authorization, and that such noon and until dark came on, by parties coming to see it. Other pieces of flesh and fatty matter were found be-low the dam. Some parties ran to the grave-yard and examined the graves. All beneath the sod were quiet as the dead there, and there was no appearcame off to-day at the Kempton place. It was a mystery. No one park March meeting, and was won by Mr. James Gordon Bennett's foot, that could not be denied. The other findings in the water may have been the offalings from the tannery just above, but the foot could not be mistaken. No amputation had been MINOR DISPATCHES.

NEW YORK, March 30.—This morning, while the crew were sleeping on the police boat, Seneca, at the foot of east 17th street fire that there has been no dissection. Now, how could it be accounted for At last, light breaks in! Mr. E. W. Tedford, druggist, the foot of east 17th street fire the foot of east 17th street fire broke out in the gallery and spread rapidly through the ship. Policemen Tully and Vail were seriously burned, and sent to Bellview hostion for a subsidy to a steamship male of any good repute under zone line to Brazil. To thus give one line years of age under promise of marburned, and sent to Bellview hospital. Charles H. Berry, the stew-pital. Charles H. Berry, the stew-pital. Charles H. Berry, the stew-polar colored man to take it out and bury it. I his was accepted for a time, as a soluberth. Several others had narrow tion of the mystery, and the joke was escapes. The boat was of little passed around on the knowing ones as to their discoveries in the water. But sgain the thing is covered in

to be determined. BARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

How it is to be solved remains yet

The morning hour expired, and the bill went over.

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Killing him. Ritter surrendered himself. Brown and Ritter are of a good family, but were drunk.

The Geneva award bill was laid

Ritter shot I heis through the head, resumed work to-sday at ten per cent increase. Pease & Co. have voluntarily granted ten per cent.

Show York, March 30.—Money \$1.06a cent increase. Pease & Co. have voluntarily granted ten per cent.

advance to their employes.

NEW YORK, March 30.—Cotton—net receipts, 680 bales; gross, 721 bales. Futures closed firm; sales, 253,000

bales, March, 12.78; April, 12.80; May, 12.96413 05; June, 13.12413 13; July, 13.23; August, 13.31; September, 13.01; October, 12.17a12 20; November, 11.87a New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, March 30 -- Cotton dull; sales, 323 bales; uplands, 13; New Orleans, 13‡c. Consolidated net receipts, 6,823 bales; exports to Great Britain, 4,869 bales: to Continent, 1,885 bales.

General Market.

Havemeyer & Elder, David, Daws & Co., and other mercantile and banking houses of New York, praying for the amendment of the revised statutes, so that the duties on sugars shall be assessed upon the quantity declared free from duties instead of upon the quality recivited into bonded warehouses. Referred.

Mr. F. Wood (New York) gave notice that when the diplomatic and Indian appropriation bills shall have been of the courts; and 25 men of the 6th cavebeen disposed of, he would call up alry; and Lieut, Miller, in command before Justice Allison: Geo. Vance, before Justice Allison: Geo. Vance, before Justice Allison: Geo. Vance, long and short, and other mercantile and the fire was accidental. Sections, \$20,000; insurance, \$18,000.

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San Francisco, March 30.—A dispatch from Tucson says: The following commands have been sent from Arizona to report to Gen. Hatch, with a view to the pursuit of the work house, for throwing a rock at M. J. Childress. Yesterday Mr. Childress was arraigned before justice Allison for assault and battery on the cavalry; Lieut. Gatewood, in command of a company of Indian seconds; Loss, \$20,000; insurance, \$18,000.

Before Justices' Court.

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Cincinnati Market.

Cincinnati Markei.

Cincinnati, Marca 30.—Flour, dull, weak and lower. Wheat, weak, \$1.26.

Corn, firm, 41. Oats, dull, 37a38. Pork, quiet, \$10.75a11.00. Lard, in good demand, 7a10. Bulk meats, active and firm; shoulders, 4½; ribs, 6½; sides, 6½. Bacon, in fair demand and firm. Whisky, \$1.03. Sugar, firm. Hogs, active and firm; common, \$3.50a4 20, light, \$4 25.4 45; packing, \$4.89 4.60; butchers, \$4.60a4.70.

Should not fail to examine the

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